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In re Application of :
STACI J. BEUK : Examiner: GLORIA M. HALE
Serial No. 10/716,784 : Group Art Unit: 3765
Filing Date: November 19, 2003 : Attorney Docket No. SJB-101A
For: INTRUSIVE DEVICE-SUPPORTING :
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In the Office Action of April 20, 2005, the Examiner set forth a Restriction Requirement. Claims 21 through 40 are pending in the application. The Examiner set forth two patentably distinct inventions for restriction. These inventions are:

Group I: Claims 21 through 38, drawn to a garment with an intrusive device connector attached thereto, classified in class 2, subclass 114.

Group II: Claims 39 through 40, drawn to a fastener/connector, classified in class 24.

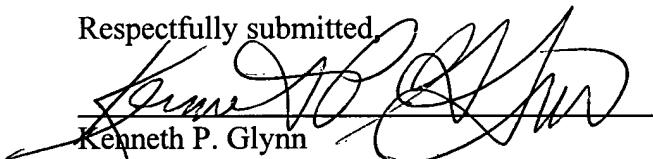
In accordance with 35 U.S. 121, applicant hereby elects Group I, namely Claims 21 through 38. It is requested that the Examiner examine the foregoing.

Applicant makes this election without traverse.

Applicant urges that this filing is fully responsive to the Restriction Requirement. Further, based on the prior art cited, it is urged that the elected claims are allowable, and a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited. Thank you.

Dated: May 4, 2005

Respectfully submitted,



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